THE COTTAGE HOSPITAL

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Annual Report

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Statement of Accounts

For the year ended 31st December, 1947

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE YEAR 1947.

The Committee present to the Subscribers the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1947.

The Hospital will be taken over by the Ministry of Health on July 3rd, 1948.

During the year the number of patients treated in the Hospital was 141. Of these 76 were surgical and 65 medical cases. The average length of stay was 14.1 days. There were 10 deaths. Outpatients numbered 216, the total number of visits was 646, and 12 patients received Infra-Red treatment.

Patients were admitted from the following places: Odiham 52, North Warnborough 13, Hook 12, South Warnborough 10, Long Sutton 9, Upton Grey 9, Greywell 7, Dogmersfield 7, Tunworth 4, Hook Common 3, Winchfield 2, Up Nateley 2, Hartley Wintney 2, Old Basing 2, Eversley 1, Rotherwick 1, Crookham 1, Farnborough 1, Woking 1, Headley 1, Collier's Wood, S.W.19. 1.

Contributions from the Odiham Branch of the Royal Berkshire and Associated Hospitals Contributory Scheme amounted to £511 15s. 2d. The number of contributors was 988.

The Committee tender their grateful thanks to the Honorary Collectors whose efforts make such a splendid result possible.

The Committee also wish to express their gratitude to the following:

The Honorary Surgeons, Consulting Physician and Medical Staff, the Matron, Nurses and Domestic Staff, for all they have done to maintain the good name of the Hospital.

To the members of the Red Cross and St. John Ambulance Association for valuable and unstinted assistance in emergencies.

To the Hon. Architect, Mr. Lovett Gill, for help and advice.

To all those who have sent gifts of fruit, flowers and vegetables.

To Mrs. Hurst for collecting and selling lavender.

To Mr. Pellat for help with electric lighting.

To Mr. L. Gregory and his sons, who have, since the inception of the Hospital, swept its chimneys free of cost and assisted in the garden and allotment.

To North Warnborough Women's Institute for an electric clock for the Nurses' Dining Room, which it is hoped will be installed in a short time.

To Mr. Boyce for clearing up the forecourt of the Hospital.

Hon. Treasurer's Report

It will be seen that we have again had to draw heavily on our Capital to keep the Hospital running. Total expenditure exceeded income by no less than £654.

On the whole our income was maintained except that we did not receive anything from the Hospital Sunday Fund in 1947. We received £150 from this source in 1946.

Receipts from dividends are £19 down as we sold our holding of £576 3½% War Loan at the beginning of the year. Patients' fees received, both from the Hospital Aid Scheme and from paying patients, are less than in the previous year.

There are increases under practically every heading of our expenditure. This is due not only to the steep rise in the price of everything the Hospital uses, but also to the fact that we have now increased our nursing staff. We have also had several more serious cases in the hospital during the year, involving longer stays than usual.

Your Committee authorised the sale of further specified investments, as required, to keep the Hospital going until July, 1948. These investments were made, out of income, in previous years, when our expenses were only a fraction of what they are today.

Gush's Legacy. The 66 National Savings Certificates were repaid during the year as it was hoped to buy something for the Hospital, as required in the bequest. They have not been bought yet, and the sum realised, £56-8-0, is held for the time being on Deposit Account.

SUBSCRIPTIONS, 1947.

	£	s.	d.
Andrew, Mr. J. W.	1	0	0
Attenborough, Mrs.		10	0
Benford, Mr. G. K.	1	1	0
Bennett, Miss		10	0
Boyce, Mr. W. G.	3	0	0
Brooks, Mr. J. L.	5	0	0
Brooks, Mrs.	1	1	0
Brooks, Miss C. C.	1	1	0
Chamberlain, Miss	3	3	0
Cole, Revd. O. L.	1	0	0
Coward, Miss	1	0	0
Daniell, Mrs. de Courcy	2	2	0
Dean, Mr. W. M.	5	5	0
Fitz-Harris, Viscountess	1	1	0
Fountain, Mrs.		10	0
Gregory, Mr. J. L.	3	3	0
Geddes, Mrs.	1	1	0
Gibson, Miss	1	0	0
Gill, Mr. C. L.	2	2	0
Hobart, Brigadier J. W. L. S.	3	3	0
ditto for 1948	3	3	0
International Tea Company	1	1	0
Jukes, Mr. B. C.	2	0	0
Lang, Lt.-Colonel and Mrs.	5	0	0
Lighton, Miss	2	0	0
Macduff, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. H.	2	2	0
Mid-Southern Utility Company	2	2	0
Mid-Wessex Water Company	2	2	0
Mildmay, Lady Isabel	2	2	0
Monk, Miss	1	1	0
Penlington, Miss	1	1	0
Pilkington, Mr. E.	5	5	0
Petre, Captain C. B.	5	0	0
Pilcher, Mr. A. M. W.	1	1	0
Pratt, Mr. A. B.	1	1	0

ODIHAM

Income and Expendit

INCOME

1946								
103	3	6	Annual Subscriptions			...	...	
184	7	3	Donations and Collections ...			174	15	9
150	0	0	Donations, Hospital Sunday Fund			–	–	–
			Dividends:					
			158	1	3	3½% War Loan ...	5	10	6
			108	3	3	ditto ...	3	12	2
			50	9	0	ditto ...	1	15	2
			1983	14	6	3% Savings Bonds 1955/65	59	10	2
			20	6	6	ditto		12	2
			259	6	5	ditto 1965/75 ...	7	15	6
			41	17	3	Australia 3% 1955/58	1	5	2
			661	12	8	3½% Conversion Stock	23	3	0
			466	2	5	4% Consols	18	12	10
			54	0	0	Southern Rly. 4% Debns.	2	3	2
			375	0	0	L.N.E.R. Rly. 4½% S.F. Bonds ...	16	17	6
			100	0	0	Australia 4% ...	4	0	0
			49	17	1	New Zealand 3½% ...	1	14	10
			200	0	0	3% Defence Bonds 1st Issue converted May 1947 into	3	0	0
			200	0	0	2½% Defence Bonds	2	10	0
						Premium on Conversion	2	0	0
			200	0	0	3% Defence Bonds 2nd Issue	6	0	0
			100	0	0	2½% Defence Bonds	2	10	0
181	18	3							
			Patients' Fees:						
529	8	7	Hospital Aid Committee				511	15	2
319	6	0	Other Fees				286	17	2
8	17	6	Sundries				...		...
158	10	0	British Hospitals Association Grants				...		...
1635	11	1	Total Income				...		...
388	18	3	Transfer from Deposit Account				...		...
			Balance from 1946:						
			Bank				142	4	9
			Petty Cash				10	0	0
119	10	11	...						
2144	0	3							

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CREDIT

1946		
Dec. 31.	Balance	
1947		
Jan. 21.	By Sale of £576-15-8 3½% War Loan at 108 1/16	
July 7.	By Sale of 66 Units N.S.C. — Gush's Legacy ...	
Dec. 31.	By Interest	

HOSPITAL

ıg 31st December, 1947.

EXPENDITURE

						£	s.	d.
46								
15	5	Salaries, Wages, Health Insurance			...	883	12	3
4	9	Household ...			...	549	7	9
15	4	Coal and Wood ...			...	127	7	3
10	6	Gas and Electricity			...	77	0	5
6	0	Local Rates ...			...	17	18	0
10	6	Water Rate ...			...	22	5	3
5	0	Fire, Employers' and Third Party Insurance			...	13	14	0
3	3	Medical and Surgical ...			...	161	18	10
9	9	Repairs, Additions and Renewals			...	130	16	5
2	5	Telephone, Postages and Stationery			...	42	5	3
8	0	Subscriptions ...			...	4	9	6
0	0	Window Cleaning ...			...	2	0	0
7	9	Advertising ...			...	13	17	6
6	10	Ambulance ...			...	11	10	7
5	6	Total Expenditure ...			...	2058	3	0
		Balance to 1948:						
		Bank ...	10	15	1			
		Petty Cash ...	10	0	0			
4	9					20	15	1
0	3					£2078	18	1

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(Sgd.) G. HOWARTH, 22/2/48.

:COUNT

DEBIT

			£	s.	d.
7					
3.	To Current Account	...	200	0	0
3.	To Donations to St. John Ambulance	...	100	0	0
6.	To Current Account	...	200	0	0
4.	To Current Account	...	122	15	1
1.	Balance ...	...	58	1	10
			£680	16	11

Reid, Mr. W. M.	1	1	0
Rotherwick, Lord	1	1	0
Rowley, Air-Commodore	2	0	0
Sclater, Mrs.	1	0	0
Stanwell, Mrs.	2	2	0
Stratton, Mr. H.	2	2	0
The Lord Wandsworth College	10	10	0
Thomas, Mr. H. W.	1	1	0
Tipper, Mrs.	1	0	0
Weisweiller, Mr. G.	5	5	0
Young, Mr. and Mrs. T. B.	2	2	0
	£102	18	0

DONATIONS

	£	s.	d.
Odiham Consolidated Charities	37	10	0
Hants C.C. Sunday Entertainments	21	0	0
Hants General Friendly Society	2	10	0
Hartley Wintney R.D.C.	15	15	9
Cripps, M.	2	0	0
Crumplin, W.	5	0	0
Hobart, Brig. J. W. S.	2	2	0
Hoyes, W. H.	2	2	0
Hurst, Mrs.	3	5	0
Norton, Colonel	2	2	0
Other Donations	5	5	0

Collections, etc.

North Warnborough Whist Drive	23	14	10
Whist Drive (per Mrs. Biddiscombe)	8	11	9
Box at Hospital	7	19	2
Box at Mr. B. C. Jukes	1	14	3
Hook and Newnham Hospital Sunday Fund	5	7	10
George Hotel Sweeps (per Mr. Young)	1	12	0
Regal Cinema Programmes	1	6	0
South Warnborough Youth Club	1	5	0
Odiham Girls' School Entertainment	2	10	0
Dogmersfield Church Offertory	3	13	3
Hook and Newnham Church Offertory	5	11	3
Long Sutton Church Offertory	2	9	8
Nateley Scures Church Offertory	1	2	0
Upton Grey Church Offertory	2	15	0
Weston Patrick Church Offertory	2	10	0
Winchfield Church Offertory	4	2	0
	£174	15	9

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